

ETNA POND

Etna, Stetson, and Carmel Twps. Penobscot County, U.S.G.S. Carmel, Me

Fishes

Smallmouth bass Largemouth bass White perch Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows Golden shiner Blacknose dace Fallfish White sucker Hornpout (bullhead) Banded killifish Pumpkinseed sunfish American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 361 acres

Maximum depth - 12 feet

Temperatures: Surface - 78⁰F 12 feet - 71⁰F

Principal fisheries: Smallmouth bass, white perch, chain pickerel

Etna Pond is a shallow body of water providing excellent habitat for warmwater sport fish species. The pond has two distinct basins referred to by the locals as big and little Etna Ponds.

Eight smallmouth bass were stocked by DIF&W in 1962, these few fish have now created a popular sport fishery. Unfortunately, largemouth bass have now found their way into Etna Pond. This new species was first documented in 1995; therefore, the long term effects are not known.

Trailerable boat access is located on both the east and west shores of Etna Pond.

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